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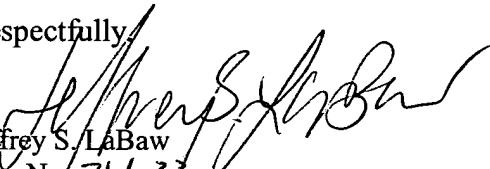
- 34 Pages of Specification including an Abstract  
 10 Pages of Claims  
 4 Sheet(s) of Informal Drawings  
 A Declaration and Power of Attorney  
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